COMMISSION ON TEACHER CREDENTIALING

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July 1, 2001

E. LeRoy Lawson, President Hope International University 1500 East Nutwood Fullerton, CA 92631

Dear President Lawson:

I am writing to inform you that on April 27, 2001, the Committee on Accreditation, on behalf of the California Commission on Teacher Credentialing, assigned the status of ACCREDITATION WITH SUBSTANTIVE STIPULATIONS to Hope International University and all of its credential programs.

Following are the stipulations:

- That the Institution provide evidence of the development and maintenance of complete, accurate and up-to-date databases of program completers, current students including student teachers, and master teachers.
- That the Institution provide evidence that a comprehensive evaluation of the program by program participants, practitioners, graduates and community members has been established and implemented and that evaluation results are utilized in on-going programmatic modifications.
- That the Institution provide evidence of implementation of a substantive process to meet all standards that are less than fully met.
- (1) On the basis of this decision, the institution is authorized to recommend candidates for the following Credentials:
- Multiple Subject CLAD Emphasis
- Single Subject CLAD Emphasis



(2) Hope International University is required to provide evidence to the Committee on Accreditation that appropriate actions have been taken to address each of these stipulations within one year from the date of this action. A focused revisit by the Team Leader and staff Consultant will verify the appropriateness of the institution's actions. Additionally, the university is to work closely with the Team Leader and Consultant in meeting all timelines and COA regulations in perparation for the focused revisit.

(3) In addition:

- The institution's responses to the preconditions are accepted with the exception of General Precondition 9 related to CBEST verification. The institution must provide written evidence of full implementation of General Precondition 9 to the staff Consultant by July 1, 2001.
- Hope International University is permitted to propose new credential programs for accreditation by the Committee on Accreditation.
- Hope International University will be placed on the schedule of accreditation visits for the 2006-2007 academic year.

Should you or your staff have any questions relating to this action, you may address them to Dr. Lawrence W. Birch, Administrator of Accreditation, at (916) 327-2967.

The Commission and its staff are grateful to Hope International University for its commitment to the preparation of professional educators.

Sincerely,

Sam W. Swofford, Ed.D. Executive Director

cc: Stanley Mutunga, Graduate Dean